

There are only two actual headstones in the Princeton, Scott, Iowa "Pioneer Cemetery" and the names on both of them is broken off. Therefore there is no data file for this cemetery. I thought you may enjoy seeing the photos I took.

I was told, at the Princeton City Hall, that the Pioneer Cemetery had been in very bad condition and that all the headstones except two had been "hailed off" by people through the years. One, or maybe a group, person took on the project of cleaning it up. They had someone come in and "witch" for the graves and put pieces of limestone as markers on those that they detected. You will see them in rows in some of the photos. They took photos of the original condition and more as the work progressed. I have a POC and will contact him in the near future to see if I can gain some information and a copy of the photos. If I get any information or photos I will add them to this site.

The following is how to get to the Pioneer Cemetery from Le Claire (the place I always start my directions from).

From the corner of Jones St. and Cody Road in Le Claire, Iowa

Go North on Highway 67 (Cody Road) 5.0 miles to Walnut St. in Princeton.

Turn West (left) onto Walnut Street 0.1 miles to the Cemetery.

You will have to walk up a small hill to get to the cemetery.

You could go to the next street past Walnut St. (maybe it's two streets) and then go up the hill until you see a water tower and park on the left. Park your car there and walk through the park to get to the cemetery.

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